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My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated next to my name.

I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled "Restraining Apparatus and Method for Use in Imaging Procedures", the specification of which (check one):

- ☒ is attached hereto.
☐ was filed on _____ as United States application serial no. _____ and was amended on _____.
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claim, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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Priority Claimed

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